

# THE BASSANO HERALD

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## CALF CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The Bassano 4H Calf Club held it's annual meeting last Friday night and elected the officers for the 1956-57 season. Those elected were: President - Wallace Fraser; Vice President - Peter Steinbach; Secretary Treasurer - Carl Block, Program Committee Chairman - Leroy Arrison.

It was decided to hold an Achievement Night at the Bassano Armouries on Friday, November 2nd at 8:00 P.M. Everyone is cordially invited to attend with a special invitation being extended to all former club members and their parents. All club members are urged to make an effort for each member to bring at least one new member to this meeting.

The new leader and his advisers will arrange to supply a calf for everyone wishing to feed a calf for the Bassano 4H Club during the coming season.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF FILM COUNCIL

The annual meeting of the Brooks Area Film Council was held in the Brooks High School on Thursday, October 18th with representatives present from Millicent, Cassils, Brooks, Bassano and other communities in the area. R. Clyne and J.F. Layton of the High School staff represented Bassano.

Annual reports at the meeting indicated an increased interest in the Council during the past year as some 3700 more people saw films in 1955-56 than in 1954-55. Revenues were also higher and for the first time, sufficient funds were on hand for this year's film rental. Twenty community organizations held membership during 1955-56.

Officers elected for the present year were: F.M. Riddle, President; Rev. Stevens, Secretary Treasurer; George Muise, Training; E.W. Jahraue, Librarian; Miss B. Coultis, Publicity, all of Brooks; and J.F. Layton, Bassano, Membership.

Increased costs indicated that a set membership fee was necessary and this was set at \$10 by the meeting. This fee will cover the cost of a new catalogue as well as the privilege to use some 280 films during the year. Film rental for non-members was set at \$1 per hour with a minimum fee of \$1.

No Bassano organizations joined the Film Council during 1955-56 but the desire was expressed that at least one organization be enrolled this year in order that the community may benefit from this excellent service.

## HIGH JINKS AT HIGH SCHOOL

Initiation has come and gone in the Bassano High School with an attendant large amount of fun and good fellowship. The Grade IX's turned up on Thursday morning in all sorts of queer regalia and spent their spare time during the next two days cleaning shoes, rubbing blackboards, sweeping floors and carrying books for the more fortunate seniors.

The culmination came on Friday night as the students conducted their first party of the year. A scavenger hunt started off the evening which also included group games and special initiation rites for the frosh. A lunch was served and a dance finished off a successful evening.

## OUR CHURCHES

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Sunday School - 10:00 A.M.  
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.

Minister - Visiting minister from Calgary.

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### BASSANO EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

Sunday School - 10:30 A.M.  
Evening Prayer - 7:30 P.M.

Pastor - Rev. Leon A. Tiede.

## TOWN TOPICS

Dr. and Mrs. A.G. Scott of Ottawa are visiting in Bassano for a few weeks. "Doc" is an ardent hunter and will likely spend most of his holiday wandering on the prairie with his shot gun at the ready.

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Mr. and Mrs. D.P. James are moving to Tilley at the end of this month as the C.P.R. has transferred Mr. James to that point.

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Mrs. Edna Margaret Evang, who died at Gleichen recently, was well known in Bassano as Mr. Evang was C.P.R. roadmaster here for several years.

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Brrrrr, it's chilly these mornings!

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Hugh Pearce left for Lethbridge on Wednesday night where he will attend the Union of Alberta Municipalities convention. He expects to return home Saturday morning.

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Be sure to patronize the annual Chicken Supper of the Willing Workers being held in the Masonic Hall Banquet Room next Saturday, October 27th. Where else can you get a chicken and turkey supper with all the trimmings for only \$1.00? Bring the whole family and enjoy yourself.

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The district meeting of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Alberta will be held in the Bassano Masonic Hall on Wednesday, October 31st. The meeting will be followed by a banquet.

It has been nearly thirty years since Bassano was chosen as the meeting place for the district meeting.

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Say, the new 1957 Chev really looks like a car a person would be proud to own.

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Bob Heryford is out of town for two weeks while he is acting as relief manager at one of the Royal Lumber Co. yards.

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ALLIE SAYS - LIFE is one continuous round! You buy pills to keep going and then have to keep going to buy pills!

## Compete for world champion plowman title



Over the clouds to England to compete for the world champion plowman title go these members of the Canadian team (left to right) Robert Timbers, 29, of Stouffville, Ont., and Edwin Demman, 23, of Portage la Prairie, Man., with their team manager, Russell Bellhartz of Bruce Station, Ont., former president of the Ontario Plowman's Association.

The young farmers won the right to represent Canada at the fourth annual World Plowing Match (the plowmen's Olympics) being held at Shillingford, near

Oxford, England, on October 12. Timbers and Demman captured first and third places, respectively, in the Esso Silver Plow contest at the 1955 International Plowing Match at Blytheswood, near Leamington, Ont. Their overseas trip is sponsored by Imperial Oil.

As well as competing, the Canadian team will participate in ceremonies in connection with the unveiling of a cairn by the Duke of Gloucester, uncle of Queen Elizabeth, to mark the site of the world match. The cairn will include stones from the 14 competing countries. Each stone will be engraved with the name of the country of origin. Similar cairns have been unveiled at Cobourg, Ont., site of the first world's match in 1953 and at Upsala, Sweden. Following the match the overseas plowmen will tour England, including a visit to the Queen's farm at Windsor.

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## Honors, rewards for dog heroes

Dog lovers and those who admire a hero will be interested in hearing of Penny, a German shepherd from Elmore, Minn., who is a runner-up for the title of the most heroic dog of 1956. Penny drove off a 547-pound boar that attacked her master, Tom Dahl, Jr., when he went to feed his hogs. The boar suddenly attacked Dahl, knocked him to the ground. Penny jumped over a high fence, pounced on the back of the animal that was repeatedly attacking the now prone farmer, and forced the boar to another side of the yard. A \$1,000 bond, a gold-plated leash and collar, a gold plaque, a dog blanket and a year's supply of dog food await Penny. (Let's hope Penny likes dog food and that she will enjoy a trip to Chicago to receive the reward.) Something tells me Penny would be happier home on the farm at Elmore.

There are four other competitors, a sheep dog who brought help to an injured boy, a mongrel who rescued a child lost in a woods, a mixbreed who saved a boy trapped in a swamp and a retriever who attacked a rattlesnake ready to strike a child. Second, third, fourth and fifth-place winners get bonds of smaller denominations and silver collars, medals and six months supply of dog feed.

—Christian Science Monitor.

## JUNIOR FIRST AID

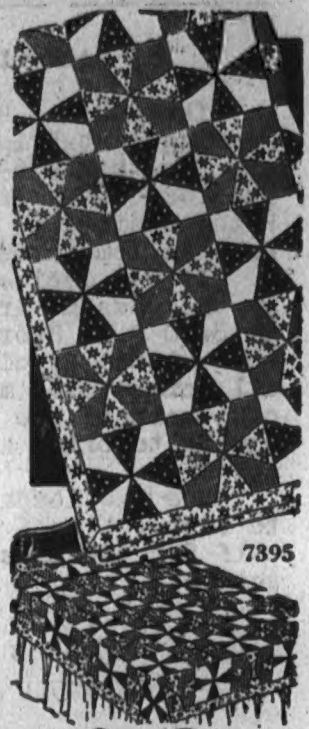
When children acquire cuts, burns and scratches, they may continue to play in the dirt unless they are taught that such injuries should be kept free from dust and germs. It is a good idea to teach bigger children the elementary principles of first aid so that they can cleanse and cover these injuries with a dressing. The handy ready-made dressings should be kept available in the home where any member of the family can use them.

## TWO AIMS IN LIFE

There are two things to aim at in life: first, to get what you want; and, after that, to enjoy it. Only the wisest of mankind achieves the second. 3217

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- 1 pound minced beef
- ¾ teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon pepper

HEAT MAZOLA in deep frying pan. ADD onions; cook over medium heat until deep brown, stirring well. DISSOLVE bouillon cubes in boiling water; add slowly to browned onions. MIX BENSON'S or CANADA Corn Starch with cold water; stir into onion mixture. COOK until clear and thick, stirring constantly. ADD salt and pepper; cover and keep hot. COMBINE minced beef, salt and pepper. SHAPE into six thick patties; pan fry or broil. ARRANGE on platter; pour sauce over patties and serve immediately. YIELD: 6 servings.



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# THE OBSERVER

BY HUGH PEARCE

**BUILD YOUR TOWN A REPUTATION** advises John Fisher, Executive Director of the Canadian Tourist Association, while speaking at the 10th annual session of the Canadian Institute for Board and Chamber of Commerce Secretaries held at the McMaster University recently. Mr. Fisher stated that the amount Canadians spend in travelling and vacationing in Canada is not keeping pace with the Canadian travel expenditure being received by other parts of the world. There are two major problems, he said, the lack of advertising and the lack of accommodations, services and recreation.

He points out that today's tourist market tends toward longer trips. This is of interest to community bodies like Chambers of Commerce because it means that tourists are spending more time on the move and less time settled in one place. This is bringing some tourist business to many places that may never had any before. The entire community can benefit from this increased tourist trade. Only one third of the tourist dollar goes to the obvious places, such as restaurants, hotels, etc. The other two thirds is distributed throughout the community. It is interesting to note that in a tourist-supported state, such as Hawaii, even the undertakers support the local tourist promotion association.

Not only do towns need to have signs to attract the tourist off the modern speedway and the town by-passes but they need to establish a reputation for themselves. Natural scenery is not enough in most cases. People like to visit things that they can talk about afterwards, preferably famous things. Historical sites are great drawing cards. Such annual events as Quebec City's Winter Carnival, Stratford's Shakespearean Festival and the Calgary Stampede have done a great deal for the prosperity of those districts.

When you have developed your community the next step is to go out and introduce it to the people. A recent example of this was Victoria's goodwill tour during which her Chamber of Commerce took half a dozen prairie cities by storm, enacting in song and costume the many fancied foibles of that city.

Mr. Fisher gives these five suggestions to help build a better Canada tourist-wise:

1. TALK UP THE IDEA OF "KNOW CANADA BETTER" at all appropriate business, community or social gatherings.

2. SPONSOR AND SUPPORT PUBLICITY PROGRAMS that attract Canadians as well as other tourists to your area.

3. PROMOTE THE DEVELOPMENT OF LOCAL TOURIST ATTRACTIONS such as historic sites, festivals, annual stampedes, an extraordinary construction project, etc.

4. ENCOURAGE NEEDED IMPROVEMENTS AND HIGHEST STANDARDS OF CLEANLINESS, ATTRACTIVENESS, EFFICIENCY AND COURTESY in all accommodation, transportation, highway and other facilities used by travellers.

5. DEVELOP AN ATTITUDE AND AN ATMOSPHERE OF HOSPITALITY in everything that there is about your community....

Mr. Fisher has certainly put up a good argument to support his theory. Take Bassano's own case for instance. There was so much favorable comment about the spacious new Stampede Grounds last year that it should increase the attendance next year, providing the public is not allowed to forget these new grounds when advertising next year's show. I feel that the Bassano Stampede should be far more widely advertised than it has been. Why not advertise quite considerably in both Calgary and Medicine Hat just before the date of the Stampede next year?

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## Mink ranching in Saskatchewan's northwest

Halvor Ausland is a big man (six feet, two inches, 220 pounds), who likes to do things in a big way. He came to the north country 37 years ago with nothing to his name but a rifle, canoe and a few traps. Today, he's the biggest mink rancher in northern Saskatchewan.

His ranch is on the Macbeth Channel, about midway between Buffalo Narrows and Ile a la Crosse. It's an elaborate setup—a dozen buildings and several block-long rows of mink pens, representing an investment Ausland says is in the neighborhood of \$150,000.

Ausland is 54, married, with a family of four girls and two boys, one of whom is recently set up in the mink ranching business.

He has made mink ranching—which he started in the late 'thirties—a science, developing several new and highly popular "mutations", and has done more than any other single person for the industry in this region.

He says he got where he is through hard work, constant study and research. He drives himself and his help hard and has no time for blackers.

The hardest work comes during the morning and evening feedings. The rest of the time, there are pens to build and mend, fish to catch, and machines and equipment to maintain. It's a busy life.

Hard work and shrewd planning has brought Ausland big returns in recent years. He doesn't disclose what he makes annually, but some idea of this might be gained from the fact that his income tax tab last year was \$7,000.

Ausland keeps about 2,000 mink, with some 400 of these breeder females. This November, he will pelt about 1,400 of the exquisitely-furred beasts, receiving as much as \$400 apiece for rare mutations.

He claims mink ranchers must go into mutations (creating different color shades through selective breeding) to be successful, nowadays. Among mutations he has successfully established are sapphires, pearl topaz and buffs. The pelt of a "standard" mink is a brown-black color.

"We're always striving to develop better mink," says Ausland, speaking for himself and fellow ranchers. It takes an average of four years of careful breeding to develop a new mutation. Many of his mink are sold live, as breeders, to other ranchers in the region and, for that matter, to ranchers all over North America.

He has lost surprisingly few mink over the years and maintains that the biggest losses suffered by ranchers are usually due to carelessness. He says that with proper precautions, mortality from diseases and other causes can be practically eliminated.

Feeding 2,000 mink daily is quite a job, but Ausland has mechanized and streamlined the process to a point where he and five helpers can do it in two hours. To ground fish, the principal ingredient of mink food, he adds bryomyacin, bone meal, wheat germ, milk and vitamins.

Ausland's grinding house boasts "the world's biggest grinder". It was manufactured to his specifications and can turn out 3,000 pounds of ground fish an hour.

Almost as impressive is his mixing machine, which can mix 4,000 pounds of finished mink meal an hour. He mixes 1,100 pounds of meal for an evening feeding.

Ausland thinks there's a big future for mink ranching in the Buffalo region. The remote environment, combined with the abundance and easy availability of rough fish (he uses more than 100,000 pounds yearly), are among the most desirable factors here.

Actually, the mink ranching industry has been growing by leaps and bounds in the Buffalo region, with 51 ranches operating now, compared to only eight, in 1945.

### PRONGHORN ANTELOPE

The western pronghorn antelope, alone of all horned creatures, has horns that grow over bony cores and yet are shed every year. 3217

### Strictly Fresh

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### Cabbage treasure

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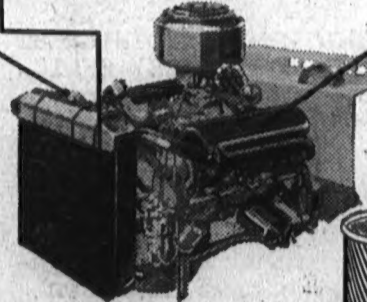
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## POET'S CORNER

(FROM ALLIE'S ANNALS)

## BY-PRODUCTS OF FALL

I've had an ailment way down deep  
Inside of my anatomy;  
And sought expert advice, to learn  
If it were this or that o'me.

The first M.D. said: "Ah, my friend,  
You need a tonsilectomy".  
The next looked farther down and so  
Prescribed: "an appendectomy".

The third, a famed psychiatrist,  
His brow in tense contraction:  
"Why, that somnambulist trend  
Demands your tooth's extraction".

But, last, my good old country "Doc"  
Produced a book. "By crack-io"  
He smiled, "IT's just a heart complaint".  
The book -- his almanac-io.  
-- By Lyla Myers.

## IF

If I could only see the road you came,  
With all the jagged rocks and crooked ways,  
I might more kindly think of your missteps,  
And only praise.

If I could know the heartaches you have felt,  
The longings for the things that never came;  
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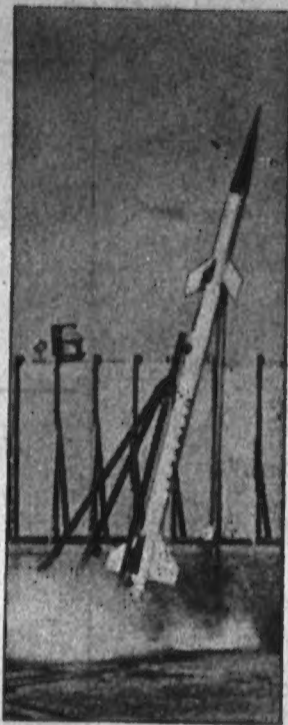
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# World Happenings In Pictures



**JUVENILE DELINQUENCY**—The problem of juvenile delinquency is an international one. In Russia a large scale poster "warfare" is reported. This placard from the USSR shows one of the juvenile delinquents reclining at ease on a couch which bears the words "Proof of Manhood", while he reads a "Jack the Ripper" book. His doting parents and relatives are seen catering to him. A large figure in the foreground points to the group and says "Don't Bring Your Children Up To Become Playboys".



**AWAY ALL ROCKETS**—The "Terrapin", newest missile to probe outer space, blasts off during a test run. Developed by the University of Maryland and Republic Aviation Corporation, the "Terp" is less than 15 feet tall, can be handled by three men, and is very economical—as rockets go. The new missile has already reached heights of 80 miles, speeds of 3,800 miles per hour.



**BUMBER-SHOOTING STARS**—Clouds may hide the skies, but stars will still twinkle for the user of this umbrella. A raincoat brightener from West Berlin, Germany, the umbrella has tiny bulbs that light under each star when the user presses a switch. It is supplied by a battery in the handle.



**HERE, FOR FALL, ARE FASHIONS** sized to fit 80 percent of women without expensive alterations. Chief difference between these clothes and "regular" sizes is the waistline, which is shorter here. Gray wool dress (left) is one-piece, has two-piece look achieved through loose bolero-type top edged with corded Venise lace. The shapely look appears (right) in an alabaster beige silk alpaca evening gown.



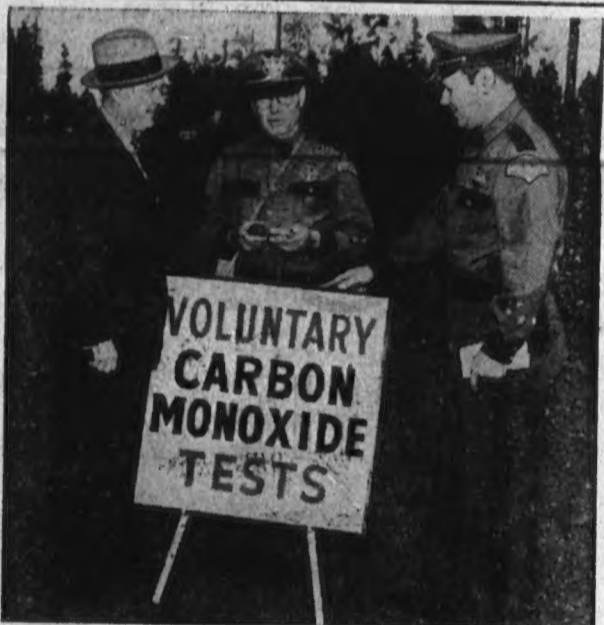
**SWOON WITH IT, MAN**—This real cool daddy is gone, man—at least halfway gone—in a pool at the Paris, France, Vincennes Zoo. Elvis Presley fans should get so carried away. A tres unseasonal heat wave a la Paris sent Papa polar to the welcome waters.

## British soldiers vacation in Israel

British youth, who a few years ago were forbidden by their parents from visiting Israel because it was, "too dangerous" a country are now holidaying there on short leaves from army duty in Cyprus. Hon. Yehuda Gaulan, Consul General of Israel told the opening luncheon of the National Council of Jewish Women, Montreal Section.

"War is not the solution for the current Middle East situation," he said. "It takes longer to build than to destroy. Israel does not want war, but for eight years our country has been able to show its military strength, and we are prepared to continue that military strength as long as any threat of extermination to us as a country remains."

Half a million Jews, mainly from North Africa, but also from behind the Iron Curtain, found a home in Israel last year. But in order to keep this number coming and in order to meet present defence needs, Israel needs the support of Jews all over the world, he continued.



**TESTING FOR THE "SILENT KILLER"**—Carbon monoxide—the "silent killer"—is the real cause of many traffic accidents. That's the theory the Washington State Patrol is trying to prove. Acting Patrol Chief Roy F. Carlson says, "It is a known fact that a small percentage of CO present in a vehicle for 35 minutes to one-hour can slow a driver's reaction time, affect his vision, and give him a general feeling of drowsiness." The State Patrol, therefore, has inaugurated a voluntary testing campaign. A motorist merely stops at one of the patrol's testing posts. A patrolman holds a CO tester inside the car to take an air sample and then withdraws it to make the reading. Left, Gov. Arthur B. Langlie visits a testing station, manned by Lt. D. B. Rigg, center, and Chief Roy F. Carlson.



**CRAZY GOLF—IT'S COOL, MAN**—A white putting green calls for an orange golf ball. At an Arctic ice pack north of Point Barrow, the "ball" is a real orange. Chief Warrant Officer William C. Crews, USN, from Birmingham, Ala., lines up an iron shot, right, as caddy John W. Ledger, SN, USN, of Millville, N.J., looks away. The sailors are with the Navy icebreaker USS Atka, participating in the Navy resupply of the Distant Early Warning radar network, which stretches across the top of North America.



**NO SLOW BOAT THIS**—A plume of glistening spray kicks up as Norman Buckley, 40-year-old lawyer from Manchester, England, speeds across Lake Windermere, England. Buckley's speedboat—Miss Windermere III—set a new one-hour world record for unlimited class boats by averaging 79 miles per hour.